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Lake Schools To Open Sept. 3

The Walled Lake Consolidated Schools will open for the fall term with teachers meetings scheduled for Tuesday, September 3, 1946. Pupils will report on Wednesday the 4th. Principals will be in their offices beginning August 19, 1946 to consult with parents and students concerning enrollment. Children through the first to sixth grades will be furnished with text books this year. They can secure such other supplies as they need at the school bookstore after school begins. The bookstore will be open beginning Monday, August 26th to enable Junior and Senior high school students to purchase books and supplies. Seventh and eighth grades from both Bassett and Wilcox Schools and the sixth grades from the Union Lake school will be transported to the Walled Lake building.

Buses will be run on practically the same schedule as last year. Some minor changes have to be made after school begins and such changes as are made will be announced. Only those who live a mile or more from the school buildings will be transported.

Some remodeling work is being done at Walled Lake building which will provide two additional classrooms, a larger cafeteria and a better shop.

A new service to parents and children has been added this year. Mr. T. S. Kennedy has been employed as Visiting Teacher. This program is sponsored and partly financed by the State. His work will be chiefly in the field of guidance.

All buildings have been cleaned and considerable painting is being done preparing for the fall term. Two new 54 passenger buses have been purchased. Ploy ground equipment added and a new well and pumping system will be put in operation as soon as the pump delivery can be made.

The teachers staff is complete with the exception of three teachers. A first grade teacher is needed at Union Lake and a Music and an Art teacher. Teachers and assignments are as follows:

Union Lake: Kindergarten, Miss Delle Book; First Grade, Mrs. Jane Johnson; Third Grade, Mrs. Phyllis Mason; Fourth Grade, Mrs. Fay Bovee; Fifth Grade, Mrs. Helen Dewey.

Wilcox: Early Elementary grades, Mrs. Beatrice Hallett; Up-

per Elementary grades, Mr. Berle D. Deane.

Bassett: Early Elementary grades, Mrs. Lucille Young; Later Elementary grades, Mrs. Tressa King.

Walled Lake: Kindergarten, Mrs. Mable VanSickle; First grade, Miss Mary Helen Guest, Mrs. Victoria Small; Second grade, Miss Iola Shipman; Third grade, Mrs. Dorothy Greenaway; Mrs. Columbia Lawrence; Third grade, Mrs. Dora Wood; Mrs. May Markel; Miss Marguerite Nichols; Fourth grade, Miss Mary Curry; Miss Marie Oberle; Mrs. Mary Webster; Fifth grade, Miss Maude McComb; Miss Norma Phillips; Mrs. Marion Anderson; Sixth grade, Mrs. Beagle Grot; Mrs. Ina Coe; Mrs. Annie McNeven; Mrs. Maybelle Garst; Grade Principal, Mr. Floyd D. Chowen.

Junior-Senior High School Principal, Mr. Howard T. Burt; English, Mrs. Beatrice Avey; Instrumental Music, Mr. Frank Beale; Home Economics, Miss Mildred Butler; Social Science, Mr. Alfred Campbell; Social Science, Mr. Hubert Cowan; Mathematics, Mr. Kenneth Cowan; English, Mr. William Cox; Science, Mrs. Eleanor Duckwitz; Mathematics, Miss Margaret Dumas; Commercial and Bookstore, Mr. James A. Forner; Physical Education (Boys), Mr. Niles Freeland; Manual Arts, Mr. George Garrett; Mathematics, Mrs. Ethel Gibson; Library, Mrs. Mary Hutton; Social Science, Mr. Robert Hutton; Music, Miss Mary Elson; Shop, Mr. Harold Hurch; Visiting Teacher, Mr. S. T. Kennedy; Social Science, Mr. Clark Kerr; Spanish, English, Miss Mary Berg; English, Miss Mary McPherson; Girls Physical Education, Miss Mary Lou Manahan; Mathematics, Mrs. Mildred Proctor; Agriculture, Waldo Proctor; Commercial, Mrs. Naomi Robinson; Latin and English, Miss Jean Schrader; Home Economics, Mrs. Isola Wallace; Social Science and English, Mrs. Mildred West; Commercial, Miss Priscilla Williams; Science, Mr. Vernon Zille; Cafeteria, Mrs. Mary M. Guest; and Mrs. Alice Goldsworthy.

Pre-Primary groups will attend school one-half day. Children who will be five by November 1, 1946 may enroll in the Pre-Primary groups. Those whose last name begins with the initials A through M are to attend in the morning from 9:00 to 11:30 and those with initials from N through Z in the afternoon from 1:00 until 3:30.



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**RENTAL HOUSING
MAY BE SOLUTION
TO VETS' PLIGHT**

The solution to G. I. Joe's plight, and that of the whole home-hungry American people, according to Mrs. Samuel L. Peckman, chairman, National Committee on Housing, is more rental housing.

Under present plans, only a small portion of the veterans' emergency housing is being built for rental purposes, and the bulk of it is to be sold to individual purchasers. This proportion should be reversed.

True, the veteran will have to pay more for a house today than he would for a comparable house built before the war, but he will not incur responsibilities that he may not be able to maintain, or he himself down permanently to an unsatisfactory home. If he loses his job, he has to move to another city, or requires more space for a growing family, he will not be stuck with a house and mortgage. While renting, he will be able to retain for 10 years the privilege of buying a home under the G. I. Bill, and, later, when prices have become stabilized, he may do so without being victimized.

Senators and other people with special axes to grind will gainay this advice. Home-ownership in this country has always been surrounded with an aura of emotional sanctity. We have been told that a man should have his own castle for the good of his soul and that it will give him the sense of security which only home-ownership can give him. Only home-owners, we have been led to believe, have real civic pride and a love of democracy.

Under present-day conditions this is a very sheer rot. There is no sense in security in being tied to an overgrown mortgage, and a little case of buying a house on one's own is a crumb to the contractor didn't see enough of the economic system.

For the sake of emotions, which may be useful as well as pleasant, and for the other reasons I have mentioned, we should construct thousands of small houses and apartments for rent. There is an enormous permanent demand for such rental housing. This demand has been with us for many years and exists particularly at the price levels required by average veterans.

The need for action all along the line — Government, states, and private — is an urgent one. Thousands of G. I. Joes are being fed and fettered in our growing housing orgy, but it is not too late to have millions of others from a similar misfortune. The boom is not yet at its peak. By switching the emphasis of our construction program to rental housing and placing upon wiser planning and better building, we can still avoid catastrophe and really alleviate our housing needs.

Greenland's Ice Cap

One theory on the formation of the ice cap says that Greenland was originally shaped like a pie crust, with a rim of mountains around a low central plain. Winter after winter, snow gradually filled the pie crust to overflowing. Each year's snow, piling down on the ice cap, forced the rim around the edges to break off into the sea, forming icebergs.

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